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Applicants : Yves VAN CAMPENHOUT et al.
Application No. : 10/056,843
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HYBRID ELECTRONIC CIRCUITS FOR
ACTIVE IMPLANTABLE MEDICAL
DEVICES
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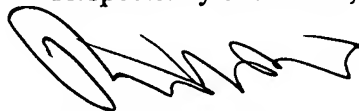
In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated March 11, 2002,
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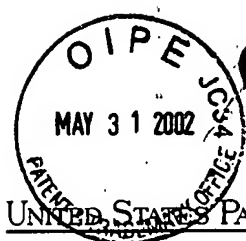

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required by 37 CFR 1.16(a)-(d) or for a petition for an extension of time and to credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 15-0665. A duplicate copy of this response is enclosed.

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 870.

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